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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FORM PROCESSING SYSTEM, MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR:

> OF FORM IDENTIFICATION DICTIONARY, FORM PROCESSING TERMINAL AND DISTRIBUTION METHOD

OF FORM IDENTIFICATION DICTIONARY

Enclosed are:

- \boxtimes 11 sheets of \square formal \square informal drawings.
- ☑ A certified copy of Japanese application 2000-359598 to claim priority date of November 27, 2000.
- ☑ An assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd.
- ☑ An Information Disclosure Statement with PTO Form 1449.
- ☐ Applicant requests non-publication.
- ☐ Applicant is a small entity.
- ☑ An Executed Declaration

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